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--10. (Amended) The composition according to claim 1, wherein said at least one block copolymer film former is present in said composition in an amount ranging from 0.265% to 1.953% [0.139% to 4.185%] by weight. --

REMARKS

I. Status of the Claims

Claims 1, 2, 4-29, and 31 are pending in this application. Claim 10 has been amended to recite that the at least one block copolymer film former is present in said composition in an amount ranging from 0.265% to 1.953% by weight. Support for this amendment can be found at page 9, last paragraph, as amended. Claim 30 has been deleted without prejudice or disclaimer. Accordingly, these amendments present no new matter and in no way narrow the scope of the amended claims, nor do they add new matter. In addition, these amendments do not raise any new issues or necessitate the undertaking of any additional search of the art by the Examiner. All of the elements and their claimed relationships were earlier recited in the claims as examined.

Therefore, the Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 should allow for immediate action by the Office. The proposed amendments, moreover, place the claims in better condition for allowance, or at least in better form for appeal, if necessary.

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